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AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

MS Petition

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 3, 2002 Applicants hereby request that the following amendments and remarks be entered into the file for the above captioned application. Applicants submit herewith (a) a Petition For Revival Of An Application For Patent Abandoned Unintentionally Under 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) (Form PTO/SB/64); (b) a Third Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement with form PTO/SB/08 and attached references AU-AV; and (c) a Fee Transmittal Sheet.

Prior to examining the captioned application, Applicants respectfully request the entry of the following amendments:

- Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.
- Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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